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The price of this paper is \$1.00 per year. If you like it send us your subscription and help us to continue our work for the race.

The Searchlight is making a hard fight against the bond issue.

NO GRANDFATHER CLAUSE is ever applied in bond elections. Have you ever noticed it?

THE STAR is the only Colored Weekly in this country, so far as we know, that publishes pictorial news of the European war.

DO YOU KNOW it costs money to operate this paper? Why not help us by paying promptly what you owe? Why wait for us to dun you? It would be so nice of you to call by the office and pay, just as you pay your gas bill.

Our erst-while ex-champion, Jack Johnson, has been heard from again. He is now about to turn into a regular actor, and will do the footlights in England, Spain, and France. As usual the reports say that his partner is a white man. Oh, Jack! Pity is that YOU were not born white.

A forceful example of the fair and just recognition of all races is exhibited in the stock dividend of \$48,000,000, in which the employees of that gigantic Ford Motor Co. will receive a proportionate share. Of course the Negro is one among the fortunate races in this distribution.

IT WAS RUMORED when Officer Smitherman was promoted and Williams took off his hat that Smitherman had felt the ax, as done or two individuals boasted that "we got him at last," "we've been after him for some time," etc. But when it was later learned that he had simply been promoted, their lower laughing at the gang, continues his good work for law and order.

NOW, that the Star suggests that a special bond election be called to improve the East End, since we have so far failed to get any benefit from previous bond elections. Of course, we expect opposition from the white property owners in this part of the city, but let us have the bonds.

The Panama-Pacific International Exposition now in progress at San Francisco, will not tolerate any unfriendliness or unkind treatment of any one, race or creed, on the grounds, and that our people are treated with the same consideration and courtesy that other people are treated with. It is reported that this Exposition offers the most wonderful educational advantages ever presented to the people of the United States, and their display is a marvel of the skill and genius of the age.

THE TULSA WORLD published a very eloquent article last Tuesday on "Flag Day" but the Star must take exceptions to certain parts of it. We hope the day will come when we can agree with the World on its "Flag Day" sentiment, but as long as Jim Crows, Granddaddy Clauses and other forms of unjust discrimination is forced upon a weak and helpless race under the folds of the Stars and Stripes, we cannot agree with the World's editorial. Of course, we all love the flag. The Negro has shown his love and loyalty to the flag in all stages of American history. If the flag has never meant all to the Negro that it should.

The latest motion picture sensation reflecting upon the Negro has been successfully apprehended and its exhibition stopped by the authorities of Chicago, upon the protest and opposition of its Negro citizenship. The managers of this foul and reprehensible picture have now turned their voluptuous eyes upon this state, and we urge every Negro in whatsoever city it attempts to produce this obnoxious picture to fight it to the last ditch. If it is shown in any of the cities of Oklahoma let it be over the bitter and persistent opposition of all race-loving people.

SHERIFF'S MANLY DEFENSE OF NEGRO PRISONER—
FORFEITS HIS LIFE TO SAVE NEGRO
A BLOOD-THIRSTY MOB.

Sheriff's Manly Defense of a Negro Prisoner.—Forfeits His Life to Save Negro From a Blood-Thirsty Mob. Winnebago, S. C., June 14.—A. D. Hood, sheriff of Fairfield county, Clyde Isenhour and Jules Smith, a negro, are dead and seven other persons are wounded as a result of an attack by a mob upon the sheriff's party here today while the negro was being taken to court for trial on a charge of assault.

Hood and Isenhour died tonight. The negro was instantly killed.

Isenhour, a relative of the young woman Smith is alleged to have attacked, was killed.

SEXUAL VIGOR RESTORED—The Prematurely aged made young. Men weakened by excess made strong. Unhappy homes gladdened. Varicose sufferers relieved permanently. No cutting. Send your waist measure and \$3.50 and let Nature heal you. Douglas Specialties Co., 616 So. Third St., Muskogee, Oklahoma.

CHURCHES

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, Sunday Service 11 a. m. Night service 7:45. Rev. J. F. Kersh, Pastor.

MT. ZION BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday Service 11:00 a. m. Evening service 7:45. Rev. R. A. Whitaker, Pastor.

VERNON CHAPEL A. M. E. CHURCH Sunday service 11:00 a. m. and 7:45. Rev. JAS. A. JOHNSON, Pastor.

C. M. E. CHURCH, Sunday Services 11:00 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Rev. W. L. BREWER, Pastor.

M. E. CHURCH, Sunday Services 11:00 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Rev. T. J. JONES, Pastor.

PARADISE BAPTIST CHURCH, Sunday Services 11:00 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Rev. E. W. FRANKLIN, Pastor.

For fresh and cured meats, flour, meal, butter and eggs, Come and buy of us. Cash paid for country produce. Our barbecued meats are well cooked. Tel 1079. 321 N. Greenwood.

J. W. Ashford, Prop.

Saw Want Ads

Five cents a line. No ad accepted for less than 25 cents.

FOR SALE—Three good houses and several lots near Tulsa brick plant, will trade for farm land or sell, part cash. See Dr. Wilson in Dental office in Wilson Bldg. or phone 825.

Wanted

Agents for THE TULSA STAR in every state in the Union. You can make a good salary by representing one of the leading race papers if you will work.

Write today The Tulsa Star, 115 N. Greenwood Tulsa, Okla.

Rats as Plague Transmitters.

In view of the admitted importance of the rat in the transmission of plague, the study of this disease among rodents has become as necessary from the point of view of preventive hygiene as is the management of the human cases when they arise. In a report to the local government board of England, on rat plague in East Anglia during the period from July to October, 1911, the magnitude of a single campaign is shown. During four months 15,332 rats were examined for plague infection. Thirty-five of the rats were found to be plague infected. Twenty-seven premises were found to harbor plague-infected rats. The places were all within an area previously pronounced to be infected. The rat destruction, which has been maintained by local enterprise for somewhat more than a year, had, in many localities, appreciably diminished the rat population.

President Wilson's Father.

In an address at Washington recently before the Potomac presbytery of the Presbyterian church, President Wilson spoke of incidents of his boyhood when he assisted his father, a Presbyterian clergyman.

"He had a risky habit of saying exactly what he thought," said the president, "a habit which I in part inherited and of which I have had diligently to cure myself."

"But he was the best instructor, the most inspiring companion, I venture to say, a youngster ever had, and in facing a Southern presbytery I cannot think of myself as the president of the United States—I can only think of myself as the son of Joseph R. Wilson, and I only wish I could claim some of the vital connection with the church which he could claim."

How U. S. Rose From the Ocean.

An interesting exhibit shown by the United States geological survey at the Panama-Pacific exposition in San Francisco is the illustration of the development of the surface features of the United States and adjoining lands—the gradual rise of the continent from the primal ocean and the accompanying development of life—a pictorial story of progress from the early fish and the huge half-reptile creatures known as saurians to the higher mammals such as the great saber-tooth tiger and the giant hyena.

Maritime Character.

"There is something about the fellow who was in here just now that smacks of the salt sea gale," said the newly arrived guest.

"You have rare powers of discernment," said the affable proprietor of Sea View Inn. "I guess he sells more peanuts and popcorn than any other dealer on the beach."

News Around Town

Plenty of rain.

Our merchants seem to be prosperous and happy.

Don't fail to see the Black Magician at the First Baptist Church on 23.

Mrs. Amanda Thomas of Sapulpa is in the city visiting Mrs. White.

Law and order is bulwark of a civilized and progressive people.

Mrs. Barrow, who has been confined to her room for some days, is convalescent.

Miss Lucy Bunkly of Denison, Tex., is city guest of Mrs. Tom Gentry.

Farmer's Furniture 107. E 1st st.

Miss Josie Graves of Oklahoma City, is in the city visiting her mother, Mrs. J. A. Kelton.

The editor of the Star is off on an indefinite business trip to McAlester doing jury service in Federal Court.

\$5.00 will buy a dresser worth twice the money at Farmer's Furniture. 107 East First St.

Mr. Frank Caston of 17 N. Boston, has returned from Kansas City, reporting a pleasant trip there.

Mr. W. M. Langston has opened a neat little refreshment parlor at 27 N. Boston, and solicits your trade.

The cheapest place in town to buy furniture for cash is Farmer's 107 East 1st. st.

Mr. F. O. Franklin, our fashionable tailor, corner of Elgin and Brady Sts., paid Okmulgee a business trip last Monday.

Mr. Cornelius Edmondson, son of Mrs. Emma Barrow has been seriously ill for some time, we hope his speedy recovery.

\$10.00 will buy a large refrigerator with coil and water bottle at

Hon. E. E. McDaniel the railroad contractor whose camp is a short distance from Tulsa, was in town Tuesday and paid his respects to The Star Office.

Mr. A. C. Curd, one of the prominent citizens of Tulsa, left Sunday for an extended visit to Fort Worth and other points in Texas, we wish him a pleasant and profitable trip.

If it is a refrigerator, dresser, range, chairs, davenport, or anything in the second furniture line Farmer at 107 E. 1st has it and the price is less than half for cash.

Mr. G. W. Harrison, the wide awake and hustling newspaper expert agent, is again on our force and will solicit business for the Star, any courtesies extended to him will be appreciated.

We are always prepared to sell furniture at less than half price for cash. We do not credit Farmer's Furniture. 107 East 1st.

Again we request our readers and subscribers to promptly notify the Star office of any failure to get your paper regularly and on time, we are ready and willing to correct any mistake or error that comes to our notice along this line.

\$6.50 will buy a Solid Oak pedestal dining table at Farmer's Furniture. 107 East 1st.

Mrs. S. T. Partee, Miss Annie Partee and Miss Amanda Wood, of Tulsa, are visiting the Normal at Okmulgee for enjoyment and benefit of the good instructions they are receiving there.

Lawyer H. A. Guess, keeping pace with the Tulsa spirit, has moved his office quarters from 216 E. Archer to 303 E. Archer, where he has neat suite of cozy rooms and is at home to accommodate his many clients.

FOR RENT—One six room house on N. Elgin See J. B. Stradford Phone 1592.

The 1st Baptist church has a real literary society in full action, subject for discussion at its meeting next Thursday evening will be: Resolved that Education is More Essential to the Development of the Race than Wealth. F. O. Franklin is president.

TWENTY BOYS wanted to sell THE TULSA STAR every Saturday. Apply at 115 N. Greenwood.

Miss Hazel McDaniel, who has just graduated from Kansas University Liberal Arts Department with high honors, passed through the city Tuesday enroute to her home at McAlester, accompanied by her father, Hon. E. E. McDaniel. Miss McDaniel has the distinction of winning first honors in the class of music, and is a young lady of excellent ability with a very promising future.

The Public Library is in need of a Bible, as well as other good books Who will help us. Call 931.

The regular quarterly examination for teachers' county certificates will be held in the office of County Superintendent, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, June 24th, 25th, and 26th, beginning at 7:45 A. M.

H. D. Maxwell,
County Superintendent.

FOR RENT Houses in Fairview Addition. Call at 1120 Fairview Five or Addition.

Jas. White

Two women, whose names our reporter failed to obtain, got into an altercation on W. Archer street last Sunday, and resulted in one of the combatants getting seriously "carved," a subject for the surgeon. We long to see the day when such disgraceful scenes will cease, especially among the women of our race.

FOR SALE CHEAP—One five column cylinder press and gasoline engine. Write or Phone.

A. J. Smitherman
Editor, Tulsa Star.

The several churches of the city are being well attended at Sunday services, and our ministers are giving their congregations food for reflection and exhortations for daily practice.

Mrs. Motley, of 17 North Boston is on the sick list.

Rev. E. S. Carter will fill the pulpit of Rev. Kersh during his vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Askew of Joplin Mo., is at the Stone, 503 East Archer.

Mrs. Olivia King, 514 S. Elwood, is in Clarksville, visiting her mother.

Mr. Jack Perry, of Bartlesville was in the city Wednesday on his way to Sapulpa.

Mrs. Maggie Wright of Fairview who has been ill for some time is still confined to her sick room.

Miss Bonnie Porter, 400 N. Hartford, left Wednesday for Okmulgee, to visit her mother, Mrs. Mary Lanan.

Mrs. Nettie Lowe, 510 North Hartford left for Muskogee to reside permanently with her sister, Mrs. Carrie Young.

Mrs. Lena Wonders of Water Valley, Miss, is in the city visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Goodwin.

Rev. J. F. Kersh left Thursday for Pine Bluff, Ark., on an extended visit to his father and friends.

Prof. Ambras Babero, will reappear at the First Baptist Church on Wednesday night, June 25th.

There will be a merry new feature presented Wednesday night at the First Baptist Church on the 25.

Hon. Jacob Jones, a prominent attorney of Tulsa, passed through the city enroute to Boley last Tuesday.

Mr. Albert Smitherman, brother of ye editor, dropped in town this week and will remain a few days visiting and recuperating.

J. S. Kirby has accepted a position a traveling salesman for the McCoy Coal Co., of Muskogee, and will begin his duties at once.

Mr. A. D. Davis, of 307 N. Elgin, is again out after a short address we hope him great success during his absence from the city.

Berry, who shot policeman Figg last Sunday morning has been caught and turned over to the county authorities on a charge of assault and battery.

The Katy Cafe at 602 E. Archer is your service in the line of serving first class short order meals and special accommodation. Give them a trial.

Mrs. G. W. Hutchins was at the Williams' confectionery Wednesday evening and enjoyed several rounds of refreshments and sweet meats.

Mr. N. O. Bryant, president of the Brookville Telephone Co., was a visitor at our sanctum and reported that his Co., was being well received and encouraged.

Prof. J. W. Hughes is in Okmulgee conducting the County Normal. Mrs. Hughes will join him in a few days for recreation and pleasure at her old time home.

Miss Lucille Goodwin, oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Goodwin, has returned home from Fisk University for her vacation, and has accepted a clerkship with the Goodwin Grocery Company.

Mr. Rob L. Edwards has severed his connection with the Star, and will no longer represent this paper. He will leave the city and engage in the profession of teaching.

The Dreamland Theatre has inaugurated a very useful feature besides the splendid attractions on the board every night, and that is the giving away of prizes in the form of groceries and provisions.

We are anxious to print the news among our people, and will consider it a favor if you have any item of interest to publish to send it into the office. Of course we mean by this news and nothing in the form of advertisement for free publication.

Cleora Byrd, Jr., a student of Langston University, is playing base ball with Oklahoma City this year. This is one of the professional colored teams of this season, he is playing short stop, his residence is in Muskogee, Okla.

Dad Howard who is now in full charge and management of the Dreamland Theatre is unquestionably the right man in the right place. He comes to Tulsa ripe with experience in the theatrical business and from now on something is going to happen in this popular amusement place. Look out for surprises every day in the week.

The rally at Mt. Zion Baptist church last Sunday was a record breaker, a total of \$490.00 was raised, and the Trustees were able to lift all the outstanding debts, and had \$61.00 left in treasury for the building fund. All the departments of the church joined valiantly in this rally, and the pastor has just reasons for being proud of his loyal and faithful membership.

Mt. Zion Baptist church through the untiring efforts and labors of its pastor, Rev. R. A. Whitaker, have broke ground and begun work on their new \$15,000 edifice, the out of it when finished appears in this issue of the Star. As the out shows this will be one of the most handsome and up-to-date church buildings in Tulsa, and a credit to the our own people, regardless of sect or denomination. Rev. Whitaker and his congregation are struggling hard and earnest, and we trust that every man, woman and child will lend them a hand, by contributing generously to this worthy effort.

Our friend J. B. Stradford, writes a very interesting and comprehensive letter from New York, which appears in this issue of the Star. We ask that our readers give this correspondence a thorough scrutiny and perusal. There are many things in it that demands our attention and study. It tells of conditions that are upon the race and must be met with calm foresight and precise judgment. Why not take up Stradford's suggestions and act at